



**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK**

**SUNDAY-MAY 14-HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!**

**PASTOR JOHN AWAY-LIZ PRESIDING**

- 8:30 am Contemporary Worship- NO communion
- 9:45 am Sunday School for all
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship-NO communion

**MONDAY-MAY 15**

- 10:00 am J.O.Y. Group to Kure Beach**
- 6:30 pm Preschool Board Meeting-Library**
- 7:00 pm Property**

**TUESDAY-MAY 16**

- 6:00 pm Girl Scouts-KAC
- 6:30 pm Yoga

**WEDNESDAY-MAY 17**

- NO Kingdom Kids Faith Formation**
- 5:45 pm Handbells
- 6:00 pm Simple Supper
- 7:00 pm Bible study
- 7:00 pm Chancel Choir
- 7:00 pm Contemporary Ensemble

**THURSDAY-MAY 18**

- 6:00 pm Samaritans Table
- 6:00 pm Prayer Group

**J.O.Y. Group returns from the beach**

**FRIDAY-MAY 19**

- 9:45 am Preschool Chapel
- 6:30 pm Bible & Brew-TBD**

**SATURDAY-MAY 20-NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**

**SUNDAY-MAY 21**

- 8:30 am Contemporary Worship
- 9:45 am Sunday School for all
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship
- 4:00 pm Preschool Graduation**
- Liz @ Luther Seminary for Her Graduation*

If you know of a member of the congregation who is sick, hospitalized or has special needs, contact the church office at 704-933-4101, Pastor John Futterer @ 704-699-2547 or Liz Fisher @ 704-713-1758.

**HOME:** Allen Brantley, Louise Propst

*The flowers on the altar today are to the Glory of God and in Celebration of Mike & Laura Abernathy's 8th wedding anniversary and in Celebration of Mother's Day.*

**WE ARE GRATEFUL** to have Liz Fisher, our minister of Faith Formation preaching for us this morning as Pastor John is away. Pastor Futterer and Anne are attending Anne Carlon's graduation this weekend...he will return to the Church Office on Wednesday afternoon, and will lead the evening Bible Study at 7:00. In case of a pastoral emergency, you may call the Church Office ([704-933-4101](tel:704-933-4101)) or Pastor John ([704-699-2547](tel:704-699-2547)).

**Special Offering for ELCA World Hunger  
 NEXT SUNDAY, May 21st**

A generous NC Synod member, moved by the hunger in Sudan and in refugee camps worldwide, has offered a \$50,000 challenge gift for ELCA World Hunger. For every dollar our NC Synod congregations give through the end of this year, this individual will match those gifts up to a total of \$50,000. We will be taking a special offering on May 21st for ELCA World Hunger and then taking it to synod assembly for Saturday morning's offering. This collection will be a great kick-off to meeting this matching grant! Make checks to Kimball, with "ELCA World Hunger" in the memo line.

**OUR CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES** are with Liz Fisher, who will graduate this coming Sunday from Luther Seminary in Minnesota with a Masters of Arts Degree in Religious Studies, and to Buster Bennet of our congregation who has been approved as a candidate for ordination and will begin his studies at Luther Seminary in September. We rejoice with these fine people and their families at these significant accomplishments!

Folks are needed to help with **quilting** at church on **Saturday, June 3rd at 9:00 am**. No sewing skills are needed. If you can tie your shoe, you can quilt and help is needed. The quilts are given to our graduating seniors and sent to Lutheran World Relief.



Meeting at 8:00 am at Townhouse restaurant for breakfast, if desired.

## Weekly Prayer Concerns

**Notice: All names will remain on the prayer list for 2 weeks only unless resubmitted.**

Jerry Baucom  
Junior Baucom  
2017 Graduates  
Jennifer Bennet  
Lewis Bennet Family  
Cheryl Bipes  
Jennifer Calandra Buttner  
Harold & Kat Carter  
Cody  
Terry Cook  
Anne Corriher  
Jim Daugherty  
Lindsay Daugherty  
Bruce Davis  
Rachel Edmiston  
Will Fesperman  
Mike Fisher  
Josh Friar  
Kymberli & Joe Graveley  
Bobby & Julie Hagy  
Todd Haley  
Han's Parents  
Shirley Helms & Family  
Derek Hooper  
Libby Hunsuck  
Barbara Hurlocker  
Eleanor Johnson  
Junior  
Karen  
Margie Kincaid  
Jerry Lambert  
Cora Mae Laws  
Mary Laws  
Debbie & Tim Lemmons  
Nancy Link  
Jeb Lloyd  
Peggy & Steve Lynch  
Joe & Lucille Martin  
Norma Matheny  
Danny McCombs  
Laurie McLaughlin  
Military  
Breuna Mitchner  
Dakota Moffitt  
Arnold Moss  
Kelly Murdock  
Our Country  
Kat Ousley  
Frankie Overcash

Brenda Page & Family  
Marty Payne  
Briana Perfetto  
David Philemon  
Kathy Philemon  
Jennifer Ridgell  
Linda & Nevin Robinson  
Ronnie  
Margaret Sechler  
Gina & Walter Schechter  
Cliff & Devon Scott  
Deana Shue  
Marty Sides  
Fred & Kiana Sinz  
Jennifer Smith  
Gaye St. John  
Richard & Hilda Teumer  
Laurah Van Poole  
Dennis Vann  
Bambi VanTilburgh  
Mike Walls  
Gabe Walters  
Evelyn Whitley  
Price Yates

### **MILITARY:**

Ben Ballard, Chris Bame  
(Iraq) Robert Busted, Jr.  
(Norfolk, VA), Tanner  
Triece (Georgia), Andrew  
Smith (Arizona), Chris  
Kirchner, Ben Kirchner  
(Texas), Devon Scott  
(Washington), Morgan  
McDaniel (Kuwait)



REGISTER OF ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING	
LAST SUNDAY:	
ATTENDANCE	174
GENERAL FUND	\$13,435
MORTGAGE	\$ 1,290
OTHER	\$ 1,466

“Dear Church Family,  
Thank you for all the prayers, thoughts, cards, and care packages you have sent my way over the past four years as I have attended UNC-Charlotte. Your support quieted the constant stress that comes with college, and I am so grateful for it!  
Thank you so much, Madeline Rinehardt”

### Kimball Staff

**Rev. John Futterer-Senior Pastor**  
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**Liz Fisher, Minister of Faith Formation-youth@kimballchurch.org**  
**Gail Mosher, Church Office Manager**  
[churchoffice@kimballchurch.org](mailto:churchoffice@kimballchurch.org)  
**Don Simmons, Music Director (Chancel/Bells) and Accompanist**  
**Rev. Dr. David Keck, Pastor Emeritus**



**Kingdom Kids and 3-5 Alive Faith Formation**

We will continue with our Faith Formation on Wednesdays throughout May. Our next day off is May 17th, as Liz will be with the J. O.Y. Group.

**Summer Opportunities for Youth**

**Kingdom Kids** Agape Day Camp-July 30th-Aug 3rd  
**MS Mission Trip** —We have updated this trip after the Parent meeting last week. The Middle School mission week will be the same as Agape Day Camp, so any middle school young people we have had for camp are welcome to join.

**HS Mission Trip** @ Kimball and to Kure Beach  
August 6th-13th

**HS/MS EVENTS**

Thank you for all who participated in our events over the last two weeks. We took 29 to the Knights Game and all had a great time. Our next outing will be Sunday June 4th after church. We will wrap up our Youth Ministry School year with lunch out.

**Summer Activities Calendars**

We will have calendars posted soon for our Summer schedules, as well as online. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask Liz.

**HS/MS Activities for May 2017**

**June 4th**– Lunch after church 12:30pm

**J. O. Y. Group Meeting**

Information was given out last Sunday. If you need a sheet, let Liz know. We will meet at the church @ 10:00 am to head to Kure Beach. Trip dates are May 15-18.

**KMLC Preschool Registration**

We have started Preschool Registration for Summer and next school year.

*Registration forms are on our website!*

**P May 14<sup>th</sup>**

8:30/11am Liz Preaching/ PJ out

9:45 Sunday School for ALL

Happy Mother's Day

**P May 15-18<sup>th</sup>**

10:00am Joy Group Beach Retreat @ Kure Beach

**P May 15<sup>th</sup>**

6:30pm Preschool Board Meeting in the Library

**P May 16<sup>th</sup>**

6-8pm Girl Scouts in the KAC

**P May 17<sup>th</sup>**

**NO** Kingdom Kids Faith Formation

**P May 19<sup>th</sup>**

9:45am Preschool Chapel 2, 3 and 4's

Bible and Brew Location TBA

**P May 21<sup>st</sup>**

**Liz @ Luther Seminary for Graduation through**

**Monday May 22<sup>nd</sup>**

9:45am Sunday School for ALL

4:00pm Preschool Graduation

**P May 23<sup>rd</sup>**

6-8pm Girl Scouts in the KAC

**P May 24<sup>th</sup>**

5:30pm Kingdom Kids Faith Formation

**P May 25<sup>th</sup>**

Last Preschool Chapel for the School Year

**P May 26<sup>th</sup>**

LAST DAY OF PRESCHOOL

**P May 28<sup>th</sup>**

9:45 Sunday School for ALL

**P May 29<sup>th</sup>**

MEMORIAL DAY- Church office Closed

**P May 30<sup>th</sup>**

6-8pm Girl Scouts in the KAC

**B.A.S.I.C.S. Sunday School Class 20's, 30's and 40's**

Is upstairs in the back corner of the Education Building. If you are looking for a place to belong, please come and check us out. If you would like more info you can contact

**Alex Storey.**

**Bible and Brew**

WE are looking for a host house for Friday May 19th at 6:30pm. If you are able to host please see Liz.

*Friends are always welcome and invited as well as families. We will provide a sitter for that fellowship time so bring your kids for fun and fellowship with each other.*

**Kimball Youth and Family Ministry Groups**

**Kingdom Kids (0-2nd Grade), 3-5 ALIVE (3-5th Grades), MS Youth (6-8th Grades), HS Youth (9-12 Grades), Youth Adult (College Age), J.O.Y Group (Just Older Youth)**

**Looking Ahead... Worship Assistants  
May 21, 2017**

**Greeters**

8:30am Randy & Debbie Tricee  
11:00am Alice Lloyd & Gail Anderson

**Lectors**

8:30am Debbie Tricee  
11:00am Joyce Mallernee

**Acolytes**

8:30am Ella & Ava Ramsey  
11:00am Owen & Aubrey Whitcomb

**Worship Assistant**

8:30am Nancy Demeny  
11:00am Liz Wise

**Council Assistants**

8:30am Howard Bentley & Laura Abernathy  
11:00am Liz Wise

**Healing Prayer Ministers**

8:30am Buster Bennet  
11:00am Joyce Mallernee

**Communion Preparers**

8:30am Debbie Troutman & Kathy Scott  
11:00am Kathy Scott & Nevina Christy

**Projection Clickers & Audio**

8:30am Debbie Troutman & Tim Patterson  
11:00am Milton Matheny & John Glass

**Tellers:** Monday @ 9:00 am  
Betty Shaver & Miriam Castor

**In Bloom-The Tucker Garden Tour  
to benefit CVAN**

Saturday, May 20, 2017 10am - 4pm  
Garden of Carolyn & Robert Tucker  
621 Hermitage Drive SE  
Concord, NC 28085

**Tickets \$10 each– Deb Tricee has tickets  
available to purchase (980-521-1467) \$15 at  
the door**

Stroll through the beautiful & whimsical Tucker  
Gardens - while helping to provide safety, shelter  
& support for battered women & their children  
through CVAN's many services.

**CALENDAR OF CAUSES  
For MAY**

**Food for Friends**

Needs:  
Non-perishable food items, canned  
vegetables, boxed mixes.

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**Lutheran Services—Carolinas**  
Lutheran Homes

\$1 bills, postage stamps (4-5 in a small  
envelope), microwave popcorn, new greeting cards,  
Little Debbie Cakes, denture cream, small packages  
of Kleenex, costume jewelry, dish towels, toiletries,  
gift cards (any amount), black dry erase markers,  
black permanent markers, calligraphy pens, any size  
batteries, shaving supplies.  
(Vicki McCombs, contact)

**Wednesday Night Live May 17, 2017**

This Simple Supper is from 6:00pm-7:00 pm with  
late arrival & take out orders available. **Please sign  
up by Monday morning prior to the Wednesday  
meal** (and mark the late arrival or take out section, if  
applicable). Sign up sheets are outside the Youth  
Room and in the hallway outside the Narthex (by the  
Flower Chart)

Cost of the meals are: \$5.00 adult, \$3.00 third grade  
& under, maximum \$15 per family

**Menu: Fried chicken, Potato Salad, Green Beans,  
Slaw, Rolls, Texas Sheet Cake**

**Followed by a Bible Study with Pastor John in the  
Christian Fellowship Classroom @ 7:00 pm**

May 24th will be the last simple supper until further  
notice.  
Menu will be **Fried Flounder, Tater Tots, Slaw, Hush  
Puppies, Ice Cream Sandwiches.**

May 24th will also be the last Bible Study for the  
summer.